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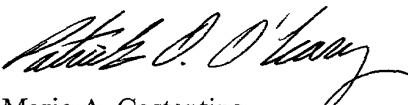
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In response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers - Filing Date Granted (copy attached) mailed on March 4, 2002, submitted herewith are 8 sheets of formal drawings (Figs 1, 2a, 2b, 3-6, 7a, 7b, 7c, and 8) in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.84.

Entry of this document should complete all of the filing formalities and fully satisfy all requirements of the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers. Examination and allowance of this application in due course are respectfully solicited.

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The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
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